Alexandria Gazette.

FRIDAY EVENING, OCT. 1, 1909.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table. Sun rises tomorrow at 5.56 and sets at 5.43 High water at 9.56 s. m. and 10.13 p. m.

Weather Probabilities

For this section fair tonight and Satur-day; probably light fr. st in lowlands tonight; moderate westerly win a becoming variable, OPINION RENDERED.

Mr. S. P. Fisher, corporation a torney, has rendered an opinion on the legality of the three coroner's inquests held over the remains of Robert McKenpey, Ernest Grady and William Hardy, three colored men who were drawned by the burning and sinking of s gasoiine launch a short distance below this city last summer. Mr. Fisher is of the opinion that the action of the coroner was valid and that he acted according to law. He quotes profusely from the code of the state of Virginia and from the laws of the city of Alexandria fish from Mrs. Fannie Cook, was fined to substantiate his conclusions. Among \$2 50. other things Mr. Fisher says.

"While the Potomac river is without the jurisdiction of the State of Virginia, certainly humanity and the preservation of health demand that a person dis-covering a body floating in the river shall tow it into port, and the port in the absence of statutory regulations is such proper port as suits the conven-ience of the discoverer.

"When a body is towed into a dock of the city of Alexandris, I fail to see that any disposition can be made of the same unless the coroner assumes jurisdiction, for the United States has no general statute on the subject

"I am of the opinion that the coro ner of the city of Alexandria has the otherwise it would be impossible to

The question of holding three inquests instead of one, when death ensued from the same accident or ac; or that the higher court will have but whether death was caused by casualty and not by violence, is one within the discretion of the coroner, who neversecond respite for Johnson. theless is acting in a ministerial and no: judicial expectty, and therefore the payment of the expenses of the inquests is subject to judicial inquiry; but being a question of fact and not of law, and not being thoroughly acquainted with the coroner's reasons for doing so, I do not think it proper to question the same and further as I understand the question referred was as to his jurisdiction in any

The opinion was sent to Mr. E F. Price, auditor, who had declined to draw warrants for the expenses of the inque-ta until the legality of the procedures was shown.

THE TRUE LIFE JACOB.

In a controversial way that held the andience deeply absorbed for an hour and a half, Madame Mountford delivered her most thrilling lecture of the course in the Young People's Bullding last night. She told of the tent life of the Bible, and so vivid were her descriptions of Issac, Rebekab, Jacob and Esau that they appeared to live in the presence of the audience. She costumed herself in the robes worn by the prince, the scarf for his head, and the crown that holds the scarf in place. Her protrayal of Jacob

at Bethel was thrilling.

The increasing interest in Madame Mountford's lectures has led to arrangements for a second series. On Sunday evening in the Washington street M. E. Church South she will begin a series of three lectures on the "Life of Christ," The subject for that evening will be"The Babe of Bethlehem; 'Monday evening, 'Childhood and Flight into Egypt;' Tuesday evening, His Manhood, Ministery, Baptism, Crucifixion, Resurrec-

There will be no admission charge for these three lectures on the Life of Christ. Madame Mountford's closing lecture on "The Message and the Messenger" will begin Friday Oct. 8.

"HAPPY JACK" REDIVIVUS.

Among the lodgers at the station unely-lunch time. house Wedoesday night was A. J. Mor-ris, alias 'Happy Jack.' This indivi-dual came from Richmond to Alexandria a long time sgo, and during the past ten or fifteen years he has given the police of this city some trouble, be having often station house his attention was directed to six Potomac berring which the pro- and Young intercepted her and conduct prietress of a cook shop had placed in soak in a boiler at the hydrant. Morris ing the woman was brought before the proceeded to appropriate them to himself. Police Court and fined \$10. He evaded the police until about dusk when Officer Beach espied him and took him in charge. The prisoner often having been placed in a cell at the station house signified his desire to be sent to the workhouse, he evidently having gave the annual reception to the junior fixed his eye on comfortable quarters for the winter, but when the prisoner was brought before Jostice Caton this morning he was greatly disappointed when he was fined \$2.50, and being quable to pay the assessment he was sent | rated, music was discoursed and delicious

CHARGED WITH LABOUNY. Brown was attested yesterday by Officer Gill at the instance of Lewis Krafit, a desler in silverware, who alleged that the darkey bad, appropriate that the darkey bad, appropriate the darkey bad, appropriate the farkey bad, ap the darkey had purchased articles from him on the instalment plan and after having paid a small amount sold the same to a second-band dealer. Brown was brought bef re the Police Court this morning, and in the absence of material witnesses the case was continued until tomorrow morning. During the exami-mation of the case it was alleged that a number of colored people had recently purchased silverware on the instalment plan, and after paying small amounts they disposed of the articles. When the collectors subsequently endeavored to latter had given fictitions names and ad

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

The Eastern College at Manassas has Fall and Winter Milinery awarded the contract for fitting that college with electric lights to the Bryant Electric Company, of this city. The asme coilege has awarded the contract for furnishing a gasoline engine and

The cool and bracy evenings inspire

At the Surprise the large concourse of people in attendance manifested their approval of the programme furnished by lustily cheering every act. A good show and a change of pictures at both houses tonight.

POLICE COURT.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding] The following cases were disposed

Mary Beard, charged with drunkerness and with reckless ariving, was

fined \$10. Albert Brown, colored, charged with the larceny of silverware, had his case

continued. Henry Simpson, charged with vagran-cy, was sent to jail for 20 days. Mamie Johnson, colored, charged with assaulting a white child, was dis-

THE CALVIN JOHNSON CASE. The clerk of the Corporation Court today finished reviewing the copy of the testimony in the case of Oslvin Johnson, convicted of the murder of Walter F. Schultz and sentenced to be electrocuted on the 8th instant. The final bill of upon bodies of persons drowned in the exceptions in the case has been signed by Potomsc river and towed by the discoverers into the docks of this city, new trial will be made to the Court of new trial will be made to the Court of Appeals tomorrow by Mr. L. H. Machen, counsel for the accused, who left for Richmond this evening with the papers in the case. In view of the fact that the higher court will have but

As heretofore stated a meeting of the city democratic committee will be held at 8 o'clock tonight at the Opera House cafe, at which time plans for the coming election will be mapped out and other business disposed of. Mr. H. St. G. Tucker will be among those who will be invited to speak here during the cam-

The republican city committee is making plans for an active canvass and their candidate, Mr. Kent, may possibly speak here as may also Mr. J. L. Crupper, of this city, their candidate for state treas. urer. They have secured the use of the Opera House for their political meetings

AN EXTRA TRAIN.

remove the wignam from Potomac Lodge building, on north Columbus street, to Sirepts Hall, on King street. Arrangements have been made by the with the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Verson Railway Company to run a special train beginning today at 5:15 in the morning from the Tweifth street station, Washington, to the Potomac freight yards north of this city. This was done owing to the fact that the Washington Southern Railway Company, starting today, discontinued the train known as the "annex" or em-ployes' train, which has been running on that route carrying between thirty-five and forty Washingtonians who work in the yards

NICE LUNCHES.

From Mr. James Magner's Cale in the City Hotel building there was sent to this office today a dish of fried oysters oned and most temptingly served.

Prince street, one door east of Fairfax. The proprietress seat to this office today specimens of the choice edibles which are served her patrons. They were much erjoyed, having arrived oppor-

WOMAN FINED.

Mary Beard, a resident of north Lee street, while in an exhilarated condition ast night superinduced by tarrying too long with the wine, took a seat in been strested for petty offenses. As buggy which was standing near her place of abode and drove the horse attached court a'ter leaving his quarters in the to the vehicle at a reckless gait through some of the the streets. Officers Knight

RECEPTION.

The senior class of the Episcopal Theological Seminary, near this city, yesterday evening from 4 to 6 o'clock class of that institution. The reception tended by the faculty, other students and residents of Seminary Hill and vicivity. The ball was effectively decorefreshments served

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find the purchasers it was seen that the Mrs. E. A. Proctor 614 KING STREET. Wishes to announce her opening of

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Mrs. William Campbell bose who love good entertainment with Barbara Campbell, wife and daughter of a desire to visit the amusement houses. Sinator Campbell, of West Virginis, The last two nights of this week are fraught with pleasure unequalled in this city. At the Opera House the crowds attested their pleasure with continuous applause from the rise to the fall of the "good night" curtain. The stage arrangement and management is in the hands of competent people and the quickness and accuracy of the employees of shifting scenery on the night of the "Merry Cobblier" performance was remarked upon as being the best seen at this house.

Sinator Campbell, of West Virginis, who have been the guests at a house party given by Mrs. Kate Wailer Barrett at her bungalow at Cape Henry, Virginia, left for their home in Obaries-town Monday evening. Mrs. Barrett's other guests are Miss Beall Dangerfield and Miss Liza Anderson, of Alexandria; Mrs. Valentine Smith, of Oanada, and the Misses Birett. The young ladies were the recipients of many social courting the party given by Mrs. Kate Wailer Barrett at her bungalow at Cape Henry, Virginia, left for their home in Obaries-town Monday evening. Mrs. Barrett's other guests are Miss Beall Dangerfield and Miss Liza Anderson, of Alexandria; Mrs. Valentine Smith, of Oanada, and the Misses Birett. The young ladies were the recipients of many social court-weight and the Misses Birett. The young ladies were the recipients of many social court-weight and the Misses Birett. The young ladies were the recipients of many social court-weight and the party given by Mrs. Kate Wailer Barrett at her bungalow at Cape Henry, Virginia, left for their home in Obaries-town Monday evening. Mrs. Barrett's other guests are Miss Beall Dangerfield and Miss Liza Anderson, of Alexandria; the weight and Miss Liza Anderson, of Alexandria; the weight and Miss Liza Anderson, of Alexandria; the weight and Miss Liza Anderson of Alexandria; the weig were given in their honor on the Minnesots, Connecticut, Rhode Island and and Mrs. Swanson, who will give a house party at the Mansion during the

State Fatr. - [Norfolk Ledger.
Miss Eleanor Lillian White, of Stannton, and Miss Harriet Bell Reid, of Cincinnati, have returned to their homes after a most delightful visit with their ousin, Miss Eleanor Ruth Sullivan, of Braddock.

Mrs. John T. Rowe has returned to her home in Braddock after a ten weeks FOOTBALL GAMES TOMORROW. visit in Cincinnati.

The organization of the new Park tional Bank, of this city, was made teller. Mr. Fawcett has had considerable experience in banking affairs and doubtless will make a most valuable oficer in the new bank.

Mrs. M M. Lewis, who spent the past eek or two with relatives in this city,

left today for Baltimore.

Mr. A. W. Harrison, of Fairfax county, who has had some trouble with his eyes for some time past and has been under the care of an occulist has so far recovered his sight as to be able to read. Mr. George Wools and Miss Nannie

by Rev. C. D. Balla.

Mr. Markwood H. Dent and Miss Eva R. Brooks, of West End, were married in G ace Church Wednesday night last, in the presence of their im mediate families, by the Rev. Edgar Carpenter. They will reside in West End after the 6.h of the month.

Mr. and Mrs. Westelaken and son have gone to New York on a visit.

LOCAL BREVITTES. Tomorrow will be registration day.

There are some fine oysters at the wharf. They sell at sixty cents bushel. A movement is on foot for the reor-

ganization of the Society for the Prevenio nof Cruelty to Animals. The schooner J. R. Dixon, from

eocomico river with canned goods to Alexandris merchants, is being unloaded at the Mutual Ice Company's whart. At the regular meeting of Osceola Tribe, No. 1, Improved Order of Red Men, last night, it was determined to

The building committee of Alexandria Lodge of Elke beld a meeting at the Eiks' Hall at 4 o'clock yesterday atternoon, but the submitting to contractors of plans for a new building was

postponed for a few days. The old lightship Relief No. 7, re cently purchased by J. Dreifus & Sons, has been taken to the shipyard where it will be hauled out and the copper re-moved from the bottom. Should the present owners fail to sell the boat, it will be taken to the flats on the oppos de of the river and burned.

A commission of engineers, com of Messrs. George E Garrett, of Alex-andria county; Phillip A. Walker, of the Geodetic Survey, and David J. Howell, which were greatly enjoyed. The oysters were of fine flavor, deliciously seators. Howard W. Smith, special master com-Mrs. Georgisnus Lash has opened a States against Theodore Johnson. The boarding house on the south side of original to the suit is to determine the missioner in the case object of the suit is to determine the correct location of the military road, leading from the south end of Aqueduct bridge to the government reservation at the Arlington National Cemetery.

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Beginning tomorrow we will handle a full line of fancy and staple produce in our new store. Our policy in running the Auth Market seems to have met with the approval of a great mejority of the citizens of Alexandria. This policy includes thorough cleanliness, the handling of the finest home-villed fresh meat (Auth's), and polite attention to all our customers, It will also be our policy in the future to make every Saturday eclipse the one before. Don't let your friends tell you what an ince store we have. Come pay us a visit and see for yourself. Sylvan Blondheim, the Auth Stand and the Auth Market.

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Savings Bank in Washington has been tiffected with Mr. W. H. Saunders as president. Mr. E. S. Fawcett, for some time connected with the First Nagare is expected as the Cardinals have mouth Athletic Club, of Washington, morrow of ermoon at 4:30. A good game is expected as the Cardinals have been practicing hard for the past week. The following is the line-up: Ale, Cook and Entwisle will play in the tack field; Murphy, Brill or Owens, as guards; Dudiey, Nalls, Brown or Lyons, as tackles; Occkrell and Hayden will obtained the content of the content the end work, Bayliss will play center

and Whitton, quarter back.

The Episcopal High School football team will line up against the strong Alexandria Athletic Club's eleven for the first game of the season tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock on the grounds of the former. The local eleven has al-Posey were married last night at the parsonage of the M. E. Church South in the best of condition and are confident of victory. They will line-up as follows: Left end, Southerland (esp'); left tackle, Douglas; left guard, Beaim; center, Hamilton; right guard, Deam; cen-ter, Hamilton; right guard, Shaner, right tackle, Steelman; right end, Nes-bit; quarter back, Ohilcotte; left half, Snowden; right balf, McDermott; and full back, Triger

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